

Magnolia Point Women's Club (MPWC)

Minutes for September 10, 2025, General Meeting

Quorum: With 44 Magnolia Point Women's Club (MPWC) members (4 officers), a quorum established.

Welcome and Call to Order: President Pam Young welcomed everyone and called the MPWC meeting to order at 3:31 p.m. in the Crystal Dining Room of the Magnolia Point Golf and Country Club (MPGCC),

Pledge of Allegiance: President Young led the Pledge of Allegiance.

New Members and Guests: none present.

Approval of the August General Meeting Minutes: Kim Belcher moved, Jola Greiner seconded, to approve the General meeting minutes of the August 13, 2025. The motion passed unanimously.

September Birthdays: Thresa Oliverio, Pat Jolly, and Bobbe Marion celebrate their birthdays in September. They were presented with a birthday card with a \$2.00 lottery ticket enclosed and "Happy Birthday" was sung by those present.

Announcements:

- Following the General meeting, we will have a "Give and Take event".
- Flyer from Pastor John Sanders for the Vineyard Transitional Center was shared regarding their Bingo Bonanza fundraiser on September 13, 2025.
- After today's meeting, MPGCC is hosting a Fall menu tasting event and will introduce Chef Timothy. All are invited to stay.

Officer and Committee Briefs: (See Officer and Committee Reports for greater detail)

Activities (Susan Hanline)

- There will be a trip on October 14, 2025, to Mt. Dora for lunch and shopping. Carpooling is encouraged.
- October speakers for the General meeting are Beth Carson, Director of Planning and Zoning, and Richard Smith, a Director of Engineering from Clay County Board of County Commissioners, District 5. They will be here to share the growth plans and development in our local Green Cove Springs area. Spouses are invited to attend the presentation.
- November General meeting guest speaker will be member Barbara Jaquet's husband, Leon, who is a veteran. He will speak on benefits and programs available for veterans and their families. Spouses are invited to attend the presentation.

- December celebration plans are in the works for cocktails and hors d'oeuvres at the MPGCC. More information to follow.

Clay County Schools: (Judy Sessions)

- Sign up for elementary school read with students' program and how to register with Clay Education to be a school volunteer information was provided.
- Two sets of Sunshine Books for Spring Park Elementary were donated by the MPWC. Sandy Waldrup was thanked for the printed MPWC labels placed in each book.
- Clara Gilbert was thanked for obtaining a donation from Janice Tucker to purchase the curriculum support books for Charles E. Bennet Elementary school.
- R.C. Bannerman Learning Center was given fifty \$5.00 gift cards for student recognition rewards.

Fundraising: (Nancy Catudal)

- Designer Bag Bingo needs a few more volunteers. A sign-up sheet was available for members. Nancy reported that the Elks organization has been wonderful to work with to set up this fundraiser for the MPWC. Parking assistance will be available. Sandy Waldrup was thanked for the development of the fliers for this fundraiser.

Luminaria: (Nancy Catudal)

- There are still some openings for block captains. The luminary kits will be assembled at Nancy Mills' home on October 6th and 13th.

25th Anniversary Committee: (Adele Murphy)

- The committee is planning a Magnolia Point Holiday Home Tour in December to raise monies for the anniversary event. More homes are needed to make this happen. Date and time are to be determined. Refreshments will be provided by the MPWC. Cost will be \$10 for the tour.

Adjournment: President Young adjourned the meeting at 3:58 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Marty Essex

Recording Secretary

Today's Program was a Give and Take of Baubles, Bangles, and Beads. Thank you to the Social Committee of Susan Hanline, Jola Greiner, Jackie Maneval, Lori Miller, Bonnie Sprinkle and Kim Belcher for facilitating a fun time.

Shout Outs:

- Jola Greiner shared the Penney Farms concert schedule
- Bonnie Sprinkle shared the Friends of the Green Cove Springs Library Meet the Author Bert Creswell on October 11, 2025.
- Susan Hanline shared there will be a box available in the lobby of the MPGCC for candy donations for the GCS Police Department Trunk or Treat event. Also, volunteers will be needed to Ring the Bell for the Salvation Army at GCS Winne Dixie.
- Barbara Jaquet shared a book her daughter, Kendra Bennett, wrote after both were treated for breast cancer. The book can be purchased on Amazon titled *So You Have Breast Cancer. A Bold, Boobless Breast Guide to Kicking Cancers Ass.* Barbara also asked for prayers for her husband who is interviewing to work with Veterans in St. Johns County.
- Phyllis Skarbrevik reminded the members she continues to collect brown bags for Waste Not Want Not.

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Attendance at 9/10/25 Meeting

Please Sign In

1. Adele Murphy	26. Sharon Murphy
2. Bonnie Sprinkle	27. Joanne Ray
3. Lola Shiner	28. Barbara J. Hight
4. Jackie Maneval	29. Sandy Whiting
5. Kim Belcher	30. Pat Solby
6. Susan Hamline	31. Cheryl Smith
7. Lois Miller	32. Suzanne Foster
8. Nancy Catudal	33. Lora Mercon
9. Pam Young	34. Joann Vign
10. Diane Lochner	35. Glenda Hardon
11. Stephanie Sessions	36. Marie & Mary
12. Adele Murphy	37. Shirley Orved
13. Cheryl Kuorn	38. Liza Orved
14. Lora Broughton	39. Anne Bristow
15. Patricia Calk	40. Maura Fultz
16. Sue Smith	41. Phyllis Skane
17. Nancy Catudal	42. Marguerite Mads
18. Sandy Gribbs	43. Sue Corner
19. Martine	44. Dora Schmitt
20. Judy Sessions	45.
21. Linda Thill	46.
22. Janice	47.
23. Lynn Powers	48.
24. Thora Olveccie	49.
25. Dottie Sears	50.

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Executive Officer and Committee Reports
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EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS

President (Pam Young)

No report.

Finance Report (Linda Werring, Treasurer):

Bank Balance as of August 23, 2025	Actual Balance as of August 23, 2025
Unrestricted Checking Account \$147.78	Unrestricted Checking Account \$147.78
Unrestricted Money Market Acct \$17,148.51	Unrestricted Money Market Acct \$17,148.51
Savings Account (Reserves) \$8,099.19	Savings Account (Reserves) \$8,099.19
Restricted FCCN Account \$1,407.37	Restricted FCCN Account \$1,407.37
Restricted Schools Account \$1,549.03	Restricted Schools Account \$1,549.03
Restricted Scholarships Account \$10,139.75	Restricted Scholarships Account \$10,139.75

Two checks were issued in August. They were:

- 1) \$1,148.00 to have the members' directory printed
- 2) \$500.00 to have our taxes prepared and electronically filed

Once all the expenses are paid for in connection with the member directory, the proceeds from the directory ads sales will be transferred into the scholarship account from the unrestricted money market account.

The club's federal taxes were prepared by DuVal Fields CPA Group and filed electronically on August 13, 2025. They will be uploaded to the club's website in the near future, if not already.

Current club membership stands at 161.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Activities (Susan Hanline, Director):

No report.

Communications (Sandy Waldrup, Director):

- Membership Database (Barbara Barclay): New member directories were picked up and delivered to Diane Lochner the last week of August. Diane's team has been making the deliveries to members.
- Printshop (Sandy Waldrup): Documents for the hospitality bags were printed to replenish the stock. Labels for the Schools' book donations were prepared. Sandy, with the help of Luminaria Chair Nancy Mills and Fundraising Director Nancy Catudal, finalized this year's luminaria brochure and created the new Zeffy form for online ordering. Sandy forwarded the brochure and order form to the printers on Tuesday, September 2, for printing.
- Social Media (Susan Mitchell): Facebook postings are ongoing.
- Webmaster (Joanne LaBeouf): Sandy has been continuing minor upgrades to the website. All of the old Clubhouse newsletters dating back to 2002, prepared by Susan Mitchell, have been added to the website. Sandy will revise the luminaria pages to be ready for the upcoming luminaria sales beginning on November 9.

Clay Schools (Judy Sessions, Director):

- Spring Park Elementary August 21, MPWC members delivered 28 Florida Sunshine Books to Spring Park Elementary School. Present for this presentation were the Principal, Tiffany Outman, Librarian, Asst librarian, Judy Sessions, Pam Schumacher, Linda Werring, School Liaisons Shirley and Aiza Orvosh. Two more of the book set will be arriving in October.
- Charles E. Bennett Elementary On August 28, MPWC members delivered 29 Curriculum Support books for 3rd grade, which had been requested by the Principal, to Charles E. Bennett Elementary School. Clara Gilbert, school liaison, coordinated this process, with former Principal, Janice Tucker who donated the funds for this purchase. Principal, Amanda Strickland, librarian, MPWC members Clara Gilbert & Judy Sessions, and 10 other members of the faculty (including four 3rd-grade teachers) were present for this presentation. Everyone held up copies of the books for the photo.
- Both Elementary school staffs strongly requested a return to volunteers from MPWC to listen to, read to, and partner read with students. Sign-up sheets and information about acquiring the volunteer registration form (the easy one) will be distributed to members at our meeting on September 10.
- Bannerman Laura Emery has purchased the gift cards Bannerman requested and has delivered them.

Fundraising (Nancy Catudal, Director):

- Events: Designer bag bingo flyer finalized and distributed to recipients for gaining sponsorship to defray the cost of designer bags. Parking for the bingo will be headed by David Miller. He will form a parking crew. After eblasts and asking at 2 MPWC meetings no volunteers for volunteer coordinator or Event day of coordinator have surfaced. Five ladies have volunteered for day of support. Sub- committee was formed to fulfill the need for beverages and snacks at the event.

Advertising will commence next week on several social media sites. Local businesses will be targeted for distribution. Meeting set with event director at Elks to get the event on the Elks signage. In addition will ask if our event can be mentioned at their weekly bingo.

- Luminaria: A tri-fold flyer for luminaria sales has been designed and ready for print. Nancy Mills has set 2 dates for Luminaria kit assembly on October 6 and 13 at her residence. Luminaria supplies have been ordered. We are receiving 3000 produce bags from Winn Dixie from the produce manager, Mike. Nancy is confirming the block captain street assignments and will have a sign up sheet at the meeting to fill vacant slots.

Membership (Diane Lochner, Director):

- Helping Hands (Barbara Adams, Chair):
One meal was provided to a member.
- Sunshine (Stephanie Sessions, Chair): Two flower vases and two cards were delivered.
- Hospitality (Dee Butler, Chair):
Seven hospitality bags were delivered to new homeowners in August.

Scholarship (Marsha Fields, Director):

No report.

25th Anniversary Event Committee (Linda Werring, Chair):

No report.